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## Bassmasters Priority Lockage Hours During the 2005 Citgo Bassmasters Classic

1. **TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:** In conjunction with the 2005 Citgo Bassmasters Classic, priority lockage hours will be provided to official Bassmasters competitor traffic at specified Pittsburgh District Locks and Dams. During these priority lockage hours, only Bassmasters participants will be provided lockage, **with lockage of all other river traffic being suspended.** The following reflects Bassmasters priority lockage hours, and will be in effect on July 27 (Practice Day) and on Competition Days- July 29, 30, and 31, 2005.

- a. Locks and Dam #2 (Braddock), Monongahela River, priority lockage hours of 7:15 AM to 8:15 AM, and during the hours of 1:20 PM to 2:20 PM.
- b. Locks and Dam #3 (Elizabeth), Monongahela River, priority lockage hours of 8:15 AM to 9:15 AM, and during the hours of 12:15 PM to 1:15 PM.
- c. Lock and Dam #2, Allegheny River, priority lockage hours of 7:10 AM to 8:10 AM, and during the hours of 1:25 PM to 2:25 PM.
- d. Emsworth Locks and Dams, Ohio River, priority lockage hours of 7:10 AM to 8:10 AM, and during the hours of 1:25 PM to 2:25 PM.
- e. Dashiels Locks and Dam, Ohio River, priority lockage hours of 8:00 AM to 9:00 AM, and during the hours of 12:30 PM to 1:30 PM.

2. The above noted Locks will utilize both lock chambers to facilitate priority lockages for the Bassmasters participants, with the exception of Lock #2, Allegheny River, which only has a single lock chamber.

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3. During the hours outside of the daily priority lockage times noted in paragraph 1 above, Bassmasters participants along with all other associated traffic with the event, will be provided lockage through the small lock chamber which will be dedicated to their use. Lock #2, Allegheny River (single lock chamber), will provide preferred queuing to Bassmasters participants, outside of priority lockage hours.

4. Except for the 2-hours of priority lockage each day at the above noted Locks on July 27, 29, 30 & 31, the large lock chambers at Lock #2 and Lock #3, Monongahela River as well as the large lock chambers at Emsworth L/D and Dashields L/D, Ohio River will be open for normal river traffic.

FOR THE DISTRICT ENGINEER:

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